



State of New Jersey

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Mr. Cristopher Anderson
Director, Environmental Affairs
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Dear Mr. Anderson:

Re: L.E. Carpenter Superfund Site
Wharton, Morris County

The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (Department) and EPA have reviewed the 2nd Quarter 1999 Monitoring Report dated July 1999 and have the following comments:

1. Monitor well MW-11D should be analyzed for the parameters required by the monitoring program, including DEHP, at least for a few quarters to ensure that there are no other contaminants of concern in that well.
2. Please provide an estimate of the total volume of remaining free product at the site, as well as an estimate of the time needed for full removal of the free product.

Please contact me at (609) 633-7261 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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